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Protecting Texas by Reducing and Preventing Pollution

January 28, 2004

LTC Jason D. Shirley Installation Manager Camp Stanley Storage Activity 25800 Ralph Fair Road Boerne, TX 78015-4800

Re:

Camp Stanley Storage Activity, Boerne, TX;

TCEQ SWR No. 69026;

Area of Concern (AOC) 65 - Approval of report's recommendation

Dear LTC Shirley:

The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) has reviewed the report entitled *Final Area of Concern 65 Interim Removal Action* dated August 2003. The report pertains to the removal of contaminated soils at AOC 65. Contamination at AOC 65 is believed to have originated from a concrete pit and metal vat located inside Building 90.

Laboratory analyses of soil verification and confirmation samples indicate that metals constituents are greater than the background conditions. Consequently, the report concluded that Risk Reduction Standard No. 1 cleanup levels were not attained. The report recommended the closure of AOC 65 be pursued in conjunction with the closure of the contaminated subsurface soils beneath Building 90. A recommendation to pursue closure of AOC 65 and Building 90 under the Texas Risk Reduction Program (TRRP) was proposed.

The TCEQ has completed a review of the report. Based on the information contained in the report, the TCEQ concurs with the proposal to pursue the remediation and cleanup of AOC 65 and contamination at Building 90 under the TRRP.

Please call me at (512) 239-2371 or email me at srayos@tceq.state.tx.us if you have questions concerning this letter. When responding by mail, please submit an original and one copy of all correspondence and reports to the Corrective Action Section at Mail Code MC-127 with an additional copy submitted to the TCEQ Region 13 Office in San Antonio. The TCEQ Solid Waste Registration No. 69026 should be referenced in all submittals.

Sincerely,

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